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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7557

BILL NUMBER: HB 1479

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 9, 2005

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Nursing home staffing disclosure.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Brown C

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: Pending

Summary of Legislation: Requires a health facility to post and maintain certain information concerning nurse staffing levels at the facility. Requires health facility employees to wear name badges while on duty. Requires Medicaid certified comprehensive care health facilities to comply with the nurse staffing disclosure requirements. Removes a reference to a repealed provision.

Effective Date: July 1, 2005.

Explanation of State Expenditures: *As of the above date, the fiscal analysis of this bill has not been completed. Please contact the Office of Fiscal and Management Analysis for an update of this fiscal impact statement.*

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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